

Senate Resolution 338

By: Senators Karinshak of the 48th and Rahman of the 5th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring Korean veterans who served in the Vietnam War and recognizing the Korean
2 Vietnam Veterans Association of the United States of America; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the United States entered the Vietnam War in November, 1955, and over three
4 million American soldiers served with courage and patriotism in the cause of freedom; and

5 WHEREAS, 325,517 Korean soldiers served in Vietnam from 1964 to 1973; 5,099 Korean
6 soldiers were killed and 10,962 were wounded while fighting alongside their American allies,
7 standing in solidarity with democracy even in the most dangerous of circumstances; and

8 WHEREAS, hundreds of Korean Vietnam veterans live in Georgia, approximately 3,000
9 Korean Vietnam veterans call the United States home, and 95 percent of these Korean
10 Vietnam heroes are American citizens; and

11 WHEREAS, this body honors those Korean Vietnam veterans for their bravery and service.

12 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
13 honor those who fought in the cause of freedom and recognize the efforts of the Korean
14 Vietnam Veterans Association and its tireless service to veterans.

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
16 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Korean
17 Vietnam Veterans Association of the United States of America.